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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: Arthur D. Gershowitz	)	Group Art Unit: 3763
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Serial No.: 10/082,098	)	Confirmation No.: 8586
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Filed: February 26, 2002	)	Examiner: Matthew F. DeSanto
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For: Retrograde Cannula Having	)	Attorney Docket: 032722-594
Automatically Inflatable Balloon	)	

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AMENDMENT

Honorable Sir:

In response to the Office action of August 11, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.